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FOR

Further shortening the Language used in Acts of Parliament
relating to Ireland.

A.D. 1891.

BE it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

1. In this Act, and in every Act passed after the *commencement of this Act*, the following expressions shall, unless the contrary intention appears, when used with respect to Ireland, have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them, namely :—

Official
and other
definitions.

(a.) (1.) The expression "Lord Lieutenant in Council" means the Lord Lieutenant by and with the advice and consent of the Privy Council.

(2.) The expression the "Under Secretary" means the Under Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant.

(3.) The expression "Local Government Board" means the Local Government Board for Ireland.

(4.) The expression the "Board of Works" means the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland.

(5.) The expression the "Commissioners of National Education" means the Commissioners of National Education in Ireland.

(6.) The expression the "Accountant-General" means the Accountant-General for the time being of the Supreme Court.

(7.) The expression "resident magistrate" means a person appointed to be a magistrate in pursuance of the Act passed in the session of the sixth and seventh years of the reign of King William the Fourth, chapter thirteen.

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c. 13.

(8.) The expression "Constabulary" means the Royal Irish Constabulary.

(9.) The expressions "Inspector-General" and "Deputy Inspector-General" mean respectively Inspector-General and Deputy Inspector-General of the Constabulary.

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- (5.) (1.)—The expression "Representation of the People Acts" means the enactment for the time being in force in Ireland relating to the representation of the people, the registration of persons entitled to vote at parliamentary elections for counties and boroughs, and the placing of the names of occupiers on the rate book, or other enactments relating to rating, in so far as they are auxiliary to or deal with the registration of persons entitled to vote at parliamentary elections in Ireland.
- (2.) The expression "Registration Acts" means the enactments for the time being in force in Ireland relating to the registration of persons entitled to vote at parliamentary elections for counties and boroughs, the placing of the names of occupiers on the rate book, or other enactments relating to rating, in so far as they are auxiliary to or deal with the registration of persons entitled to vote at parliamentary elections in Ireland.
- (3.) The expression "Tramways (Ireland) Acts" means the Tramways (Ireland) Act, 1860, the Tramways (Ireland) Amendment Act, 1861, the Act of the session of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter one hundred and fourteen, the Act of the session of the thirty-ninth and fortieth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter sixty-five, the Tramways (Ireland) Amendment Act, 1881, the Tramways and Public Companies (Ireland) Act, 1883 (Parts I. and III.), and the Light Railways (Ireland) Act, 1889.
- (4.) The expression "Land Purchase (Ireland) Acts" means the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act, 1870 (Parts II. and III.), the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act, 1872, the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881 (Part V.), the Tramways and Public Companies (Ireland) Act, 1883 (Part II.), the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1885, the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1887 (Part II.), the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Amendment Act, 1888, the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Amendment Act, 1889, the Purchase of Land and Congested Districts (Ireland) Act, 1891, and the Land Department (Ireland) Act, 1891.
- (5.) The expression "County Courts (Ireland) Acts" means the Act passed in the session of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter fifty-seven, the Civil Bill Courts Procedure Amendment Act (Ireland), 1864, the Civil Bill Courts Procedure Amendment Act (Ireland), 1871, the Act passed in the session of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of the reign of Her present Majesty,

51 & 52 Vict. c. 35.

51 & 52 Vict. c. 35.

54 & 55 Vict. c. 33.

54 & 55 Vict. c. 33.

59 & 60 Vict. c. 62.

1 & 2 Vict. c. 32.

24 & 25 Vict. c. 43.

22 & 23 Vict. c. 62.

37 & 38 Vict. c. 36.

32 & 33 Vict. c. 35.

48 & 49 Vict. c. 43.

33 & 34 Vict. c. 40.

28 & 29 Vict. c. 52.

26 & 27 Vict. c. 22.

23 & 24 Vict. c. 18.

22 & 23 Vict. c. 12.

31 & 32 Vict. c. 32.

31 & 32 Vict. c. 32.

27 & 28 Vict. c. 59.

24 & 25 Vict. c. 39.

52 & 53 Vict. c. 61.

chapter sixty-six, the Chairman of Quarter Sessions (Ireland) A.D. 1891.
 Jurisdiction Act, 1876, the County Officers and Courts 59 & 60 Vict. c. 71.
 (Ireland) Act, 1877, and the County Court Appeals (Ireland) 60 & 61 Vict. c. 55.
 Act, 1889. 62 & 63 Vict. c. 36.

- 5 2. In this Act the expression "Act" shall include a local and personal Act and a private Act. Definition of Act in this Act.

3. This Act may be cited as the Interpretation (Ireland) Act, Short title.
 1891.

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